

How to fill out the consent decree form: annulment in a non-covenant marriage

You may use these instructions ONLY if you and the other party:

- do not have a “covenant” marriage;
- have agreed on all terms of the annulment; AND
- have agreed to file and sign a Consent Decree.

Instructions for filling out the consent decree:

- Fill in the information requested at top left for the Petitioner / Party A and the Respondent / Party B. The spaces marked “representing” and “state bar number” are used only if an attorney is preparing this form.
 - Fill in the names of the persons shown as the “Petitioner / Party A” and the “Respondent / Parte B” and the case number as on the “*Petition for Annulment of a Non-Covenant Marriage.*”
1. COMPLETE FORM: Fill out each page of this form according to the agreement and understanding of both parties.
 2. SIGNATURES: ONLY in the *presence of the* Clerk of Superior Court or Notary Public.
 - PHOTO IDENTIFICATION: Be prepared to show photo identification to the Clerk or Notary when signing.
 - STATEMENT to the COURT: When you sign the Consent Decree forms you are making a statement to the Court that you have read, understand, and agree with the contents of the document you sign.
 - REQUEST to the COURT: When you sign the Consent Decree form you are requesting the Court to make this document the Court Order that governs your Annulment.
 - CAUTION: Read carefully before you sign the Consent Decree. Do not sign the form if you do not understand or do not agree to ALL terms of this Consent Decree.
 - LAWYER SIGNATURES: If either party is represented by an attorney, the attorney(s) must also sign.
 3. TIME FRAME: 60 DAYS MUST PASS. Do not submit the Consent Decree to the court until at least 60 days have passed since the date the Respondent was served the annulment papers. The Judge cannot sign your decree until 60 days after service. (A.R.S. § 25-329)